

The Federal Communications Commission

Dear The Federal Communications Commission,

As a senior citizen, I make long distance phone calls at home with a pre-paid phone card. If I am away from home, I use a cell phone with pre-paid minutes and no monthly contracts. I use the wireless phone for safety, security and convenience. I don't want to risk losing use of either of these phones for long distance and these benefits if I have to pay the same amount as a large volume user for my long distance service. I am certain that there are other seniors and low income individuals in the same situation.

I urge you to reject the proposal to move the USF collection system to a flat-fee.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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